



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 2621

Docket No.: 826,1751

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Masayoshi SHIMIZU

Serial No. 09/957,032

Group Art Unit: 2621

Confirmation No. 4255

Filed: September 21, 2001

Examiner: Patrick L. Edwards

IMAGE STATUS ESTIMATING METHOD, IMAGE CORRECTING METHOD, IMAGE

CORRECTION APPARATUS, AND STORAGE MEDIUM

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: BOX AF

Sir.

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 30, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on December 30,2005.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

Enter 12 January 2006